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IN RE:

In re application of Marc J. Madou et al.

Application No: 9/615,159

Filed: July 13, 2000

For: MICROFLUIDIC DEVICES AND MANUFACTURE THEREOF

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is for an original application

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: MICROFLUIDIC DEVICES AND MANUFACTURE THEREOF

TITLE OF INVENTION

The title of the invention is: MICROFLUIDIC DEVICES AND MANUFACTURE THEREOF

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the specification of which was filed on July 13, 2000, as Serial No. 9/615,159.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendments referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

PRIORITY CLAIM (35 USC § 119(a)-(d))

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d) of any foreign application (s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed

below and have also identified below any foreign applications(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

No such applications have been filed.

CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) (34 U.S.C. § 119(e))

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

PROVISIONAL APPLICATION NUMBER

FILING DATE

Serial No. 60/144.156

7/15/99

CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER US/PCT APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120

No claim for the benefit of any such applications is made.

ALL FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), IF ANY FILED MORE THAN 12 MONTHS (6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION

None

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Each inventor, identified above and signing below, hereby appoints the following attorney to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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Each inventor identified above and signing below, authorizes the above-named attorney to accept and follow instructions from me and my representatives.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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